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Paul Van Dervoort, ex-commander of the National Grand Army of the Republic, in a recent speech said:

"All the attempts made to change our platform are premature and unwise; no new or old party was ever called on to change its platform between conventions Each state, at its convention, can formulate their ideas; and when we meet in 1895 God will give us wisdom to agree on some sound principles that will unite all the reforms forces and lead the people to victory. No conference no self constituted dictators. or imaginary statesmen or would be political bosses have any right to assume the power to obliterate the grand document that has marshaled 2,000,000 votes into line, and I resent the dictum that, because a man stands by the platform, he is a traitor to the People's party.

When I left the Republican party I burned the bridges behind me, and I never will be sold or delivered to the Democratic party, whether it is labeled silver, gold, nickle or brass, and if our so called leaders will stand firm we will gather in all the reform elements and elect the next president. All we have to do is to hold the fort, educate the masses, open our doors North, South, East and West, and wait for the" Coming of the Lord."

Every plan submitted in congress by the money power is ten times more dangerous to the people than contagious disease Every one of them has all the vital principles denounced and ridiculed in the subtreasury plan Every one of them is class legislature of the vilest kind and the leaders of the Republican party have indorsed the fraudulent issue of bonds and both the old parties seek to load the nation with bonded indebtedness payable in gold, for a generation to come. Cleveland and Carlisle should be impeached and hurled from power. No more rotten and corrupt men ever ruled a nation. They usurp more power than any king or czar; they override congress, defy the people and trample law and constitution under foot. The Rothschilds, bond transaction is the most shameful page of our history. General Banks once said: "The treasury department is British ground.' So it is to-day, and under this administration the pawnbroker sign should be added. There is not an anarchist or communist in the people's party; not a bomb thrower in our line The men who rob and plunder the people, who evade the law, purchase and bribe and steal the "livery of heaven to serve the devil in," are the real anarchists and have brought a horde of that class from across the sea. More than 80 per cent of our voters were born on American soil, and those who were born abroad are the very best element in our nation. The rank and file of the people's party, though poor in purse, mortgaged and many of them destitute and out of employment, are honest, patient, law-abiding people, and of the thousands of letters received at my office there were not one hundred in all that contained misspelled words or illiterate or incendiary expressions.

We polled our largest vote in the West, where the union soldiers are the most numerous and we have a large army with banners of the men that wore the blue marching with us The gunholder is waging war on the bondholder, who robbed him of his pay during the war and who has assailed the pension roll ever since. We have another army that wore the gray. They have shaken off the manacles of Bourbon Democracy, they stand for a fair ballot and an honest count, for "Equal rights to all and special privileges to none." They bury the past and with the stars and stripes waving over every line they join hands with their brothers who wore the blue to save the nation and preserve the flag forever

Senator Davis of Minnesota once said in a speech: This nation may yet be saved by the 95 per cent of American born population who live in the sunny South" The greatest event in this whole political revolution is the magnificent conflict for the rights of the people waged in the South and in 1896, they will emancipate all their states and help plant the People's party candidate in the White House. Let us all consecrate ourselves anew to the holy cause. A great orator recently said, "It has been demonstrated that great wrongs may be righted and great reforms achieved without the shedding of one drop of human blood." Let this be our aim—an army of peace, moving in a resistless tide upon the ballot box, with this pledge in the words of the immortal Lincoln written upon all our hearts: We here highly resolve that this nation under God shall have a new birth of freedom, and that the government of the people, by the people and for the people, shall not perish from the earth.

Sentenced to be Shot.

Last week at the Pushmataha court Johnson Jacobs, a full blood Choctaw, was sentenced to be shot for the murder of his wife, also a full blood, near Atoka in Atoka county, about a year ago. He was tried at Pushmataha before W. W. Hampton, judge and condemned to be shot March 15. His friends have appealed the case, and if it is granted, a hearing will be given at Tuskahomma next April, otherwise the president will be appealed to for executive clemency.

Jacobs and his wife quarreled and separated about twelve days previous to her murder. The next day he went to her house in company with a friend, when his wife begged the angered husband to return home and live happily. He was obdurate and refused.

The next night Jacobs and his friend returned again, but his wife's pleadings were in vain. About ten days later Mrs. Jacobs was missed, when a searching party discovered her body lying 200 yards from the house, her head crushed in and her body nearly devoured by swine. The friend who accompanied Jacobs on his visits home, gave the clue and at the trial turned states evidence.—Denison Herald.

Progress of the War.

Hiroshima, March 3—Official dispatches received here state that on Feb. 28 the Japanese completed the occupation of the whole district of Sai Yien Tang and as Tui Kong. The Chinese retreated slowly north after one encounter, in which the Japanese lost 98 killed and wounded and the Chinese 45 killed. On the same morning a Chinese attack on the line at Hai Cheng was easily repulsed.

Frozen To Death.

Haskell, Haskell Co, Tex. Feb 27.—Jack Wade, a half demented man, who was living with A B. Carrothers in the northwest corner of Haskell county, was visiting neighbors and late in the evening started home on foot through the heavy snowstorm and lost his way. The country was searched but his whereabouts was not discovered until last Sunday, just four weeks from the day he left. After the snow melted passers by found the corpse in a good state of preservation. Some wild animal had taken a bit from his cheek.

Accidentally Shot.

Greenville, Tex. March 3.—Edgar Parker was accidentally shot yesterday at the house of Mrs. Conder, five miles south of the city. Young Parker was staying all night with Nat Condor. In the morning they began scuffling over a pistol, which Nat had under his pillow, when it went off, the ball entering Parker's abdomen, making a probably fatal wound.

CALIFORNIA TRAIN ROBBERY

Two Men With Ulsters Do a Bungling Job and Get Nothing.

Sacramento, Cal., March 3.—Train No. 3 was held up near Antelope station at 10 o'clock this morning by two masked men, dressed in long ulsters They climbed over the tender into the caboose, and before the engineer and fireman were aware of their presence they covered them with their revolvers and ordered them to slow up. One of the highwaymen kept the engineer under guard while his partner took the fireman back to the baggage car and there compelled him to uncouple it from the train. He returned to the caboose with the fireman and ordered the engineer to go ahead. After running a short distance the engineer was ordered to stop but as he slowed up the fireman grappled with one of the men, who laid him low with a blow from his revolver. The engineer attempted to hit his man with a wrench, but he jumped to the ground with his companion and escaped into the woods. The engine, with the baggage car untouched, backed down to the train and then proceeded to Antelope, from where word was wired here

What Will the Ending Be?

Standing in the last flickering glare of the nineteenth century, with the history of the world stretched out before us as a landscape; seeing the course of civilization, progress and the wreck of empires; and turning our gaze to our legislative halls, filled with corporation lawyers, attorneys for gigantic monopolies occupying the federal bench; reading the decisons of our courts against the laborers and for the corporations; seeing the strong military arm of the government raised to strike the poor workingman because he refuses to bow the knee to a money king, we can but see how appropriate the question, "What will the ending be?"

Let us look for a moment at recent events, and see if the times are not prophetic of the overthrow of our liberties. Cleveland has recently been issuing bonds. He has issued $100,000,000 5 per cent bonds to run 10 years. The interest alone will amount to $50,000,000 This of itself, though a plain violation of the law, is not the worst feature of the proceedings. These bond issues may be continued indefinitely. Cleveland has also issued $100,000,000 4 per cent 30 year bonds in the last few days, the interest on which will amount to $120,000,000. Why were these bonds issued? Could not the government have used silver to redeem its treasury notes, and have thus avoided all these bond issues? Certainly. But Cleveland is so friendly to silver, you know, that he won't even allow it to get out of his sight for a moment, when to redeem a few of 'kelheimers' notes in silver would stop forever this demand for gold. Then, why these issues? Presumably to maintain a rather expensive luxury—a gold standard.

But if we will look beneath the surface a pit, perhaps we might discover another reason Cleveland and Carlisle are both corporation attorneys. Perhaps they are making a spec' out of these bond issues. At any rate allow this quotation from Mr Fithian of Illinois, a prominent democrat; "But the cry is bonds more bonds, to gratify the appetite of the grasping shylock of Wall street! This demand for bonds is not so much for the purpose of obtaining revenue to pay current expenses of the government, because that revenue can be obtained without the issue of bonds, but it is to satisfy the cry of these Shylocks of Wall street"

England has never been conqueror. She has been defeated in battle, but never conquered.

That the English money power and American money power are in league, there can be no question. The thirst of England for wealth and empire has never been satisfied although the sun never sets upon her possessions she is reaching out for richer treasures. Remember this.

According to Cleveland's message all outstanding and future issuing of bonds should be payable in gold. Again he recommends that future revenues be made payable in gold. Can you see the infamy? Make all these things payable in gold and what is the result? Where is the gold to come from to pay off our bonds? It must come as revenues. Tariff dues must be increased. prices keep going down, homes must be mortgaged to keep families from misery and want. Some day these mortgages will be foreclosed. Then comes some Praetorians to sell our country to the highest bidder. Who will be the purchaser?

No wonder Patrick Henry once said: "Give me liberty or give me death."

No wonder Gov. Wait said "Better that blood should flow to the horses bridles than surrender our liberties!"

O, Texans be men! don't be slaves! Look at the future candidly; lay aside all prejudice, and don't condemn a thing simply because it is populistic; and answer for yourselves the question, What will the ending be?"—T. C. Bynum, in Southern Mercury.

A Chance to Make Money.

The times are hard, but there always seems to be opportunities for those who are willing to work. In the past month I have made $175 above all expenses, selling Climax Dish Washsers, and have attended to my regular business besides. I never saw anything that gave as general satisfaction. One should not complain where they can make over $6 a day, right at home. I have not canvassed any, so anxious are people for Climax Dish Washers, that they send after them; any lady or gentleman can do as well as I am doing, for anyone can sell what everyone wants to buy. I think we should inform each other through the newspapers of opportunities like this, as there are many willing to work if they only knew of an opening. For full particulars, address the Climax Mfg. Co., Columbus, Ohio. After you have tried the business a week, publish the results for the benefit of others.

Outrageous Election Frauds.

The recount of the ballots cast at the last election in Dallas shows the dishonesty practiced by the democrats even in this city, with the Australian ballot law in full operation

The count up to the time the twelfth ward box was reached showed a gain for Kearby of 127 votes. That is, the judges in the eleven boxes had defrauded Major Kearby out of 127 votes. The twelfth box was a tartar. More rascality was evidently committed at this box than in any of the others, as 176 ballots had been taken out of the box and could not be found. The judges of the twelfth box will be called on to testify in the matter, but there is little hope of reaching the guilty parties. Evidently the box has been tampered with for a purpose, and therein lies strong grounds for a more stringent election law.

There is not the least doubt but that Major Kearby was defrauded out of more votes in Dallas county than Judge Abbott claims as a majority in the district.

Present indications go to show that Kearby will win the contest without difficulty—Southern Mercury.

Gaining in Louisiana.

We are gaining ground every day in Louisiana. A number of Democrats have quit the old party since the last session of Congress began. We now have three Populists to one Democrat in this (Lincoln) parish I think the Omaha platform is none too short. Many are being converted to it who would not have come to a single plank platform. Silver is not the only issue before the people. Those who want free silver badly can vote the People's ticket. The other planks are just as good or better for a good goverment, so they should not be left off. There are many people who work hard while suffering for food and clothing, which goes to show that there is no over production, because people never have so much clothing that they freeze or so much food that they starve. There is no good location in the United States to day for the man who makes his living by the sweat of his brow. This is a land of millionaires and paupers. Neither are worth anything to the country. Will the people get their eyes open before it is too late?—W. T. Gaines, in Peoples Party Paper.

S'Ster Grove Greetings.

Sister Grove, March 4, 1895
Editor Democrat:

On Friday evening of the 22d ult., during the absence of our teacher, who took a flying trip sout, we are glad to note that a nice orthographical contest was had, under the supervision of Mr. M. Beck.

Quite a number of our boys and girls attended spelling at Illinois school house recently All reported an enjoyable time Messers. O. H. and Bud H. Ines attended services at the Baptist church at Farmersville last Sunday.

Mrs. O. M. Havens visited her sister, Mrs. Bud Haven, on Sunday last.

Our cattle kings are still rushing their business. Success is sure.

Farmers are still rushing farm business to produce another 4c cotton crop.

T. M. Hinsley boarded the train here on the morning of the 28th ult. for McKinney where he spent a short whil pleasantly with home folks.

To our surprise, on Wednesday night of 27th ult., we were cordially invited out to the school house to hear the Rev. John A. Wesson lecture on his famous 500 mile street of hell We noted that his audience was good, mostly of Jerusalem sinners as he expressed it, and that his discourse was one of much interest to many of us. On the night following he was billed for Long Neck and some of our young men, it is reported, were so carried away with his discourse that they made it convenient to hear him again at that place.

EUGENE.

Chicago Populists.

Chicago, Feb. 22.—The people's party convention to nominate candidates for city officers was held to-day and was composed of nearly 400 delegates. The proceedings were harmonious throughout, and the remarks of various orators were loudly cheered. In regard to the National platform the following was passed: We adhere to the Omaha platform one and indivisible."

The following ticket was nominated: For mayor, Dr Bayard Holmes; treasurer, W. W. Weaser; city attorney, Seymour Stedman; city clerk, James Rathgaber; Circuit Judge to succeed Judge McCowell, Oscar E Leinen.

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Now is the time for our government to test railroad ownership. It owns the northern Pacific railroad by rights. The representative who votes a further franchise to this robbing corporation is a traitor to his people.

Senator Jones estimates that by the demonetization of silver, the wheat growers lost $100,000,000 and the cotton planters $250,000,000 per year.

Congressman Bailey refuses to join the New Silver Party. This will probably insure the success of the new movement.

POPULISTS can't get along without a quarrel. If nobody else will quarrel with them they will kick up a fuss among themselves.—Sherman Courier (Dem.)

The very idea of a democrat, —a member of that craziest of "crazy quilts," the democratic party—guying somebody about not living in harmony! Ye Gods, what gall, what ga'll

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Alabama populists will meet on the 10th of March.

The Chicago Times and Chicago Herald have consolidated.

Saturday March 2, was Texas Independence day—a legal holiday.

A terrific fire destroyed a $1,000,000 worth of property at Salina Kansas.

Henry Studebaker of South Bend, Indiana member of the famous Studebaker firm died last Saturday.

Influenza is raging in Europe. Emperor William had an attack of the disease.

Reports from the Chinese-Japan war is to the effect that the "Japs" are winning the victories.

It is reported that Hillsboro is running thirty tramps per day, out of that city.

It takes over $2,000,000 per annum to run the state government. Democratic simplicity?

Hon. U. M. Browder is stumping Fannin county, in favor of local option.

Post Master General Bissell has resigned and congressman W. L. Wilson has been appointed to fill the vacancy.

TEXAS congressmen presented senator Coke with a gold headed cane. Is Coke to be a retiring goldbug

John L. Sullivan's dramatic troup, went busted in Florida. The celebrated pugilist seems to be in hard luck.

The populist club in Dallas meets every Friday night with unabated interest.

A negro at Atlanta Ga., had to be hung twice at a public legal execution before death was obtained.

A rebellion is in progress in Cuba. Spain has transported 7000 troops to quell the uprising.

A train with 1200 passengers aboard, was ditched near the city of Mexico. Over 100 lives were lost.

According to Sir Charles Hunter of England, the English people are coming to the belief that gold is to scarce and that bi metallism will have to be resorted to.

A great stir is prevalent in "high" social circles by the marriage of Miss. Annie Gould of New York to Count De Castellane a Frenchman.

Rev Moody closed his meeting at Dallas last Friday after converting several hundred people. It is claimed that 100,000 people attended his services. He holds forth in Paris next.

It is said that $342 000 000 of American silver has been shipped through San Francisco to China, Japan and other oriental countries, within the last six years.

In the face of the fact that 2000 newspapers, 10 000 orators and 2 000 000 voters have stood by silver, will we abandon that party to join a new "silver party?" No! never!!

The wage earners of the United States have been robbed of enough wealth since 1873 to build and equipe all the railroads in the United States.

A railroad excursion was given members of the legislature last Saturday. About 100 members were transported to Monterey Mexico, over the International and Great Northern railroad. Among the number were Representatives Gough and Greer.

Hon. H. Clay Evans has issued a manifesto in which he strongly declares his election as governor of Tennessee; that he was prevented from taking his seat by unconstitutional measure.

FRANK P. Holland, the intelligent head of the Texas Press association will in all probably honor the next city government of Dallas as its mayor. In that desirable event THE DEMOCRAT votes for Dallas as the next place of meeting of the T. P. A. Frank is just the one to throw the door wide open and [illegible] the key into the "surg[illegible]" [illegible] of the Trinity.

ANTI-LOCAL OPTION

DEPARTMENT.

Why State Prohibition is not a Success.

[ALBERT M. POTTER IN THE LITERARY DIGEST.]

It is conceded by all, irrespective of party affiliations, that the liquor question is in its present form the vital question before the American people. The primary object of all prohibitory legislation is to restrict and prohibit, and with the intent to prohibit the sale of intoxicants, some few states have passed what they term prohibitory laws, and it is my intention to set forth in this article my reasons for maintaining that state prohibition is impractical.

Upon the payment of $25 on a proper application, the United States Government will issue a United States Retail Liquor License, which is a guarantee that the government will not molest the applicant for engaging during the following year in the liquor business. In issuing such license the Government makes no distinction between states having, and those not having prohibitory laws. We have no national prohibitory laws, and the Federal Government and a majority of the States permit the manufacture of intoxicating liquors, which the railroads carry from one end of the Union to the other.

In a State like Iowa, surrounded by "liquor States," anyone can order and receive liquors in any quantity and at all times, even though the prohibitory law were enforced in every particular. The state becomes poorer by millions of dollars, on accont of the money which is sent out of it. But practically the law is a dead letter in Iowa, they could enforce it, but they are not in sympathy with the movement and are looking to a repeal of the law.

The majority which passed the law soon fell away. It was found that it did not prohibit; that the drink habit was increasing; that there were more saloons, while the breweries and distilleries had ceased to run, and as a result $20 009 000 was annually sent out of the State to purchase intoxicating liquors; that it bred liars and hypocrites without number; that it corrupted county and State officials, and that our penitentiaries and asylums were fast filling up. In short, it was found that morality could not be legislated, and that the prohibitory law was anything other than that which it was intended to be. Official reports show that the cost of criminal prosecutions is $5,000,000 per year, and our penitentiaries and asylums are filled to over flowing.

There are to day nearly 5 000 Goverment licenses held in Iowa, and I am safe in saying that back of 99 per cent of them there is a saloon. Drug stores and "bootleggers" are not included.

To those who carefully investigate the workings of the law it must be apparent that true temperance must come from some other source than State prohibition. Education must promote temperance, as State law cannot. Morals cannot be forced upon a person. The great truths of morality must be learned by study, observation, and culture.

So long as liquor is manufactured and trains carry it into every corner of the Union, liquor will be sold and delivered. So long as liquor is manufactured, men will drink it, and the traffic must, therefore, continue until such time as Congress shall assume the burden, and with one master—stroke prohibit the manufacture, sale and importation; until then there is no future for State prohibition.

For the next two months many men will be called on to leave their farms and business and do jury duty in county and district courts. The busy farmer at this season of the year, can never afford to spare the time. Beside the pay is small and the duty onerous.

If local option should carry it will be poor consolation to the man who has been dragged from his business or his farm to set on juries, to know that he will be paid in script which he can perhaps sell for fifty cents on the dollar or by waiting two or three years collect. It is this or tax.

My taxes seem to grow every year, exclaimed a farmer in Herndon's Drug store yesterday. My taxes this year are three dollars more on the same property than, it was last year and the property is not worth half as much, either.

How will this farmer and all others who now realize that taxes are becoming burdensome; but when he finds the local option will create a deficit of over $3000 in the jury fund alone to be supplied by additional taxation.

Ignorance Or ?

We learn that our local option friends are using the argument that prohibition will prohibit, because they say the U S Government will not sell internal revenue license in a prohibition town and therefor any one who attempted to sell would have Uncle Sam down on him.

Of course no one working for local option would wilfully misstate facts. No, no! Only the wicked anti would do any thing like that.

Therefore the statement referred to, being utterly untrue we must assume that they who use this argument are simply doing what all of them do when talking about the beauties and benefits of local option, viz: "talking through their hats."

The plain truth is, that Uncle Sam is no respecter of prohibition laws. For $25 to him paid upon proper application, he issues a U. S. retail liquor license which is a guarantee that the government will not molest the applicant for engaging during the following year in the retail liquor business. No distinction is made between states having and those not having prohibition laws.

Hon. J. L. Dogget, the U. S. internal revenue collector at Dallas will, according to law, for $25, on proper application, issue a U S license good for one year to sell liquors in any prohibition town or county in his district. If you don't believe it, ask him.

In speaking of prohibition in Iowa a magazine writer says "There are to-day nearly 5000 goverment licenses held in Iowa and I am safe in saying that back of 99 per cent of them there is a saloon.—Drug stores and "boot leggers" are not included.

Facts and Figures

It is said that if local option carries the jury fund will be depleted and jury script will be worth only 50 or 60 cents on the dollar. An investigation of the records of the tax collector's office and the records of the treasurer's office will establish the following facts:

Occupation taxes collected from all sources during the year ending May 31, 1894	$5,621.75
Occupation taxes collected from liquor dealers alone	4,600.00
Occupation taxes collected from other sources than liquor	1,021.75
Jury fees paid out for one year ending Feb. 14, 1894	4,074.00
Net deficit for one year without the occupation tax on liquor dealers	$3,048.25

The occupation taxes above referred to are the principal source from which the county gets money to pay jurors. The only other source being the money received from the sale of estrays and the pittance paid by litigants as jury fees—and all received from the sale of estrays may be drawn out by the owner of the animal when found, leaving the occupation taxes as the only substantial and reliable source from which to draw money to pay jurors. And from the above figures it will be seen that the occupation taxes collected from other sources than from liquor dealers will be about one fourth enough to pay the jurors of the county one year. So that when the money on hand is exhausted, if local option should prevail, jury script will be at a ruinous discount and the juror who is taken from his business, however urgent, it may be, will be paid in script which he will be compelled to hold for two years, or sell at a ruinous discount.

Are those who are compelled to sit upon the juries, willing to serve a week for twelve dollars, be paid in script and sell the same at from five to seven dollars? are they willing to advance the money to pay their board and expenses and hold their script for two years, or until local option should be repealed—for we believe that a two years trial of local option would satisfy the experimenter and a much less time the conservative citizenship of the county.

Local Option

DEPARTMENT.

BUSINESS NOT INJURED.

The Citizens of Hillsboro Like Local Option.

MANY OF THEM SAY BUSINESS HAS IMPROVED WONDERFULLY SINCE THE LAW WENT INTO EFFECT, AND THEY WOULD NOT BE WITPOUT IT.

A number of towns in Texas are on the eve of trying the local option law. Those who are most interested in the proposed measure are invariably met with the assertion from the antis that Hillsboro is trying it greatly to the disadvantage of the town, and if it is a failure in Hillsboro it is sure to be in their town. In order that the facts may be known the friends of local option are put to the trouble of writing to Hillsboro for data. The Hillsboro Mirror, one of the leading weeklies of the state, is frequently called on for data of this kind, and so a reporter for that paper took a large sheet of legal cap paper and wrote the following heading at the top:

"To the merchants and business men of Hillsboro:

"Has local option injured your business?"

The following voluntary testimonials were obtained, and a large number more could have been secured if time were taken to interview the merchants:

No. Our business is $5,000 larger from Jan. 1, '94, to Nov. 30, '94, than for same eleven months of 1893.
ED RODGERS & SON, Grocers.

No. HOLLAND & LABRYER,
Grocers.

Our trade has increased 20 per cent.
J. E. WATSON & Co.,
Boots and Shoes.

I don't belive local option hurts this town or the business either. I am satisfied with local option.
W. E. WIGLEY.
Of the company of J. K. Dennis & Co., furniture dealers.

We don't think local option has injured our business any.
A. E. GRAHAM & Co.

I had one business house before local option went into effect which I could not rent, but since it went into effect I am getting a good rental on it. Mrs. Kennedy has a brick house 25x50 which she rents for $50 per month, and a brick hotel which rents for $150 per month. Both of these were built since prohibition went into effect. N. B. KENNEDY, M. D.

I know of nothing that could have been better for Hillpboro than local option. C. C. HUNTON,
Implement business.

The effects of local option has in no wise injured my business, but has benefitted our town in general.
W. W. PHILLIPS, Music Dealer.

Our business has been better up to Nov. 1 than last year, and would have been a very material increase if cotton had brought even 6 cents per pound.
O. T. LYON & SON.
W. W. WOOD, Manager.

No. But will say that our collections have been poorer from habitual drinkers than any other class of creditors. Will say to any intelligent business concern that if you will enforce local option your business will increase. Money spent in a saloon will not do legitimate business any good. See? E. M. TURNER & Co.,
Implements and Hardware.

I think our town has been materially benefitted since its adoption, except to city court aed officials. And while we have some violations of the law, there is not much more than of many other laws, and the town wears a more respectable appearance.
C. MOORMAN, Attorney-at-Law.

Local option has not injured our town in business point, but much improved it in morals. Prospective parties every week and substantial improvements going on all the while.
R. M. WILLIAMS,
With N. Y. Life Insurance Co.

Since local option went into effect our business has increased 50 per cent.
J. A. & H. F. ROBEY, Merchants.

We consider that local option has not been detrimental to our business. With an experience of almost one year we are more favorable to local option than ever before.
THOMPSON, LANG & Co., Hardware.

I feel safe in saying the business of Hillsboro has suffered no damage through local option, while the moral and religious conditions have been bettered. I think that another election will show that our people are more than satisfied with the law.
J. G. H. BUCK,
Ex-Tax Assessor Hill Co., Tex.

This year, just closing, will witness the largest business we have ever enjoyed during our five and one-half years' stay in Hillsboro. Our books are open for the proof.
THOMPSON & CHEATHAM,
Publishers and Printers.

Plano, Texas, Mar. 5th 1895.
To the voters of McKinney [illegible]
precincts;

Knowing that you are to have an election soon on prohibition, and knowing from experience, that all things possible, will be done to defeat you and being confident of the benefits derived from prohibition, we will say that Plano has had prohibition seven months, and during that period there has been but few instances of drunkenness in our town, (and that was mostly from a saloon outside the corporation) and persons who did nothing, and spent their money for whiskey, and were drunk a great portion of the time, now have gone to work and have some money to spend for provisions for their family instead of spending it for whisky. During our campaign the excuse with many was that prohibition would ruin our town, that trade would decrease and property would go down, that people would go to other places to market their produce, and buy their goods. Now we will say, that there is not a word of truth in any such statements; for our town never experienced a better trade, and more grain and cotton were marketed here last season, than ever before in any one season, and was hauled as far (and in many instances further) as ever before. Town property has increased in value considerably, and our town, since local option, has erected more substantial buildings than in any previous year, some of which we mention: A fine flouring mill—second to none—a fine large school building, one elegant new church and two new parsonages, rebuilt the compress, that had been idle for several years; built one large three-story brick, two two-story brick, and one one-story brick business houses, and quite a number of elegant residence houses, one fine new opera house, and many other improvements too numerous to mention here. Our town, since prohibition, is filling up with good moral citizens, who have money and are seeking Investments in some good, moral town.

With these general statements, will say that prohibition has evidently not hurt our town or trade, but has given us an up-grade movement on all lines, has lessened drunkenness and crime, and has materially benefited us socially, morally and financially; and our new calaboose is now almost unknown, but before prohibition it was almost in constant use; and a number of our citizens that voted against prohibition would now vote for it, from the fact that they see the town has not been hurt.

W H Chandler, merchant.
T C Jasper, cashier Plano national bank.
R B Huntley, merchant.
W R Norton, asst. cash. nat. bank.
W D McFarlin, dry goods.
James Wilson, M D.
W C Neal, dentist.
A H McCarty, agt. Cotton Belt Ry.
J N Wigginton, laborer.
E A Skiles, implement dealer.
T F Hughston, farmer.
M C Portman, merchant.
W T Arnold, teamster
R B Coleman, book-keeper Plano national bank.
J H Haiss, cotton buyer.
J J Russell, furniture dealer.
J H Bowman, farmer.
J A Crow, assistant postmaster.
R W Sandifer, dress goods.
A A Angle, dress goods.
W M Weaver, vice-president Plano national bank.
Jos F Vinson, dry goods clerk.
E W Purdy, editor.
Wallace Hughston, attorney.
L Bailey, farmer.
Dan Dudley, merchant.
H M Beaty, M D.
C E Hudson, cotton and grain buy'r.
W W Bryant, furniture dealer.
R T Shelton, attorney-at-law.
E O Harrington, furniture.
J P Coffey, M D.
D C George, merchant.
J B Mathews.
J H Gullege, dry goods.
Joe Barnett, farmer.
R C Bass.
A A Maguire.
F E Dunlap, saddlery.
G R George, postmaster.
L D Bowser, hardware and implements.
J P Spilman, capitalist.
Isaac Saddler, merchant.
G W Bowman, president Plano national bank.
J T Armstrong, cotton and grain dealer.
R S Carlisle, merchant.
R L Stevens, fire insurance.
D H Bradshaw, merchant.
R R Hamlin, pastor Christian church
F Schimmelpfennig, merchant.
J W Lane, barber.
F O Miller, pastor M E church.
L Floyd, merchant.
A Lewis, shoemaker.
Ben Raines, blacksmith.
W R Kendrick, lumber dealer.
Joe W Miller, justice of the peace.
J L Florance, music dealer.
H B Beaty, drugs.
Jos. D. Cottrell, lawyer.
S J Osborne, lawyer.
P R Garretson.
M D Brown and others.



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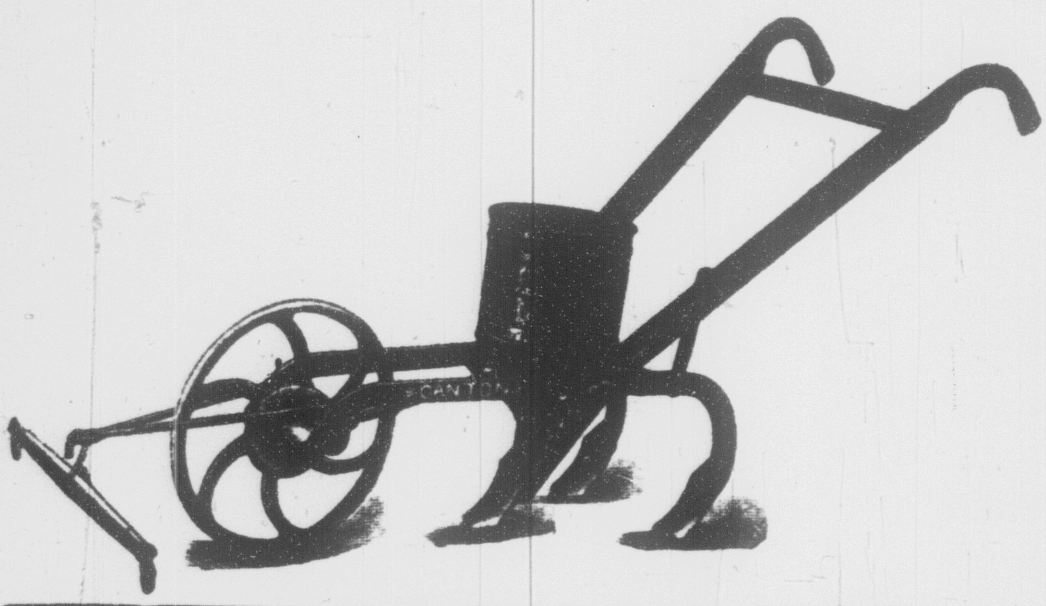
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F P SHRADER, Agt

McKinney, Texas.

The Democrat Supplement.

McKINNEY, TEXAS, MARCH, 7, 1895.



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Gentlemen:—I was a little reluctant about taking hold of P, P. P. when your Mr. Parsons was here about a year ago, from the fact that ——was the leaders in Blood remedies, but your judicious method of advertising has reversed the situation, and I now sell five bottles of P. P. P to one of ——. I have just given Mr. Parsons another order for 14 dozen. Please give it your prompt attention.
BELL, The Druggist.

The Dallas Galveston News; the "Double ended whizzer," continues to keep posted regards the movement of his Hoggship—the Ex-Govenor of Texas.

Indications are that the present administration will end in the soup. Why not? It has originated the soup house.

Bowlby Items.

Bowlby S. H. Mar. 4,

Editor Democrat;

We are glad to note that there is not much sickness in this vicinity at present.

Oat sowing is about done. Some are talking of planting corn this week. Farmers are progressing very nicely with their work since the weather faired up.

We had a good rain Thursday night, but water in wells is still low.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crutcher visited his brother, Mr. T. R. Crutcher, near Walnut Grove, Sunday.

Mrs. Fannie Rutherford visited her mother, Mrs. Tom Harris, near Fitzhugh Mill, last week.

The boys say the show at the school house Thursday night was simply immense.

There will be a spelling match and recitation on Friday evening the 18 inst., at this place. All are invited to attend.

There will be preaching here the 2nd and 3rd Sundays.

Some talk of a Sunday school, but have not organized yet

To the voters of this precinct: Read this song carefully and take it to heart, and if you never voted for prohibition the 13th make a start.

THE LITTLE PLEADER.

In a little lone cot by a vine-coverd hill,
A mother was kneeling in prayer,
And her pale face shone as she gazed on her child,
Told of the sad heart that was there;
Now go little Tommy tell father to come,
Take his hand Tommy lead him a right
Have care for for the foot bridge as you pass along,
Its darkening into the night.

CHORUS

Oh! it was not my father who did the bad deed
It was drinking that maddened his brain
Oh! can't he go home to dear mother please,
I'm sure he'll not touch it again.
Oh say Mr. Policeman is my father here?
A man said you took him away:
Oh can't he go home, and say what will it cost
If mother will send you the pay?
Oh, my little pleader, your father can't go.
I took him to prison today.
Run home to your mother, run quickly let her know,
What's keeping your father away

Oh say, Mr. Jailer, can I go in?
They say that my father is inside,
You scarcely could tell how one's heart would have been,
I could not have felt worse had he died.

Please, sir, it was drinking that made him do wrong,
I'm sure, sir, he'll not touch it no more;
'Twas just a few minutes, and minutes not long
But no one would open the door.

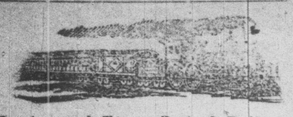
All night the little preacher stood close by the door,
In vain with his father to speak;
And it creaked on its hinges, yes, ten times or more,
As prison doors only will creak.
He told many persons, with face pale as death
Came silently up to the door,
Tell mother I'll shun it as long as I have breath;
I'll touch it, I'll taste it no more.

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Houston and Texas Central Railway Time Table.

Going North,	No. 13	Arrives	5:21	a. m.
" "	" 3	"	10:59	a. m.
" "	" 1	"	8:15	p. m.
" South	" 2	"	8:14	a. m.
" "	" 4	"	4:49	p. m.
" "	" 14	"	9:28	p. m.

Sherman, Shreveport and Southern.

West Bound arrives.

Passenger Arrives..... 4:25 p. m.
Accommodation Arrives..... 10:50 a. m.

East Bound Departs.

Passenger Departs..... 12:09 p. m.
Accoommodation..... 4:55 p. m.

LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Alma Hill has returned from a week's visit in Sherman.

Aunt Susan Barnes, who has been poorly for some time, is improving.

C. L. Young returned from the northern markets this week.

An infant of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dorser died Monday night.

Dr. Taylor will extract your teeth without pain, and no bad results.

Mrs. M. D. Dean died at her home south of McKinney Tuesday.

Henry Warden left Tuesday for Mahan's commercial college at Sherman.

J. M. Gaither, of Illinois community, was here yestereday.

Mrs. Bomar, of Decarur, visited Mesdames Dodson and Al Chandler last week.

Revenue Collector J. L. Doggett came up from Dallas Monday.

Miss Effie Cox visited in Anna Sunday.

Henry Taylor is recovering from a continued spell of la grippe.

Dr. Taylor has opened his Dental Office over H. C. Herndon's Drug Store.

Miss Martha Willis, of Lucas, visited the family of W. D. Ingram here last week.

Miss May Flippen, of Vineland, was the guest of Miss Jennie Taylor this Week.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Award.

Miss Lillie Holloway, a beautiful young lady from Emporia, Mississippi, is visiting relatives and friends in McKinney.

Mrs. Leland Franklin and Miss Amanda Engleman visited in Allen Tuesday.

Dock Hill has returned from another trip to Chicago. This time he received two shipments of Texas cattle before leaving.

Joe Dulaney is clerking for J. G. Anthony this week. Mr. Anthony being sick.

Dr. Taylor will put you in teeth without plates.

Miss Linnie Johnson has returned to Iowa Park, after a several week's visit to relatives in McKinney.

Eli. Crutcher spoke to an audience composed mostly of Pros., on local option at Vineland Monday night.

Newest things in face veiling at Mississippi Store.

Mrs. T. H. Emerson and son, T. D. Emerson and wife and Mrs. Scott visited Mrs. W. R. H. Mack, in Denison, Saturday.

Messrs. George Walker, Polk Oates and Frank Allen, and Misses Fannie Allen, Allie Sparlin and Pearl Lucas attended church at Forrest Grove Sunday.

Mrs. M. F. Brackney, of Dallas, is spending a few days visiting her mother, Postmistress Cameron, in McKinney.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy gives the best satisfaction of any cough medicine I handle, and as a seller leads all other preparations in this market. I recommend it because it is the best medicine I ever handled for coughs, colds and croup — A. W. Baldridge Millersville, Ill. For sale by Herndon.

Steve Hobbins, of Culleoka, was in McKinney Monday and called on The Democrat for some horse bills which he had previously ordered.

Dr. Taylor will give special prices for the next 60 days.

During the series of meetings at the Methodist church that closed Sunday night there were about 25 conversion and a number of additions to the church.

Messrs. Jesse Atkinson and Joe Barnes and Misses Alma Hill, Hallie Atkinson and Corrie Dulaney enjoyed a delightful drive to Plano Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. D. A. Crouch entertained a large number of young people a few evenings since, at their pretty home in South McKinney.

An unfortunate altercation occurred Monday evening in H. A. Kistler & Co's. restaurant between Charlie Russell and Tom Mc dullen in which both parties received bruises—Charlie severe ones.

Sister Grove alliance has elected new officers: Sammy Thomas, president; J. M. Gaither, secretary and Miss Cora Caldwell, treasurer.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

MOST PERFECT MADE.

G. A. WILSON.

Wednesday evening, March 6 1895, near the hour of 4 o'clock the spirit of Geo. A. Wilson winged its flight from its abode of clay to the great beyond.

The deceased was born in Sumner county Tennessee January 1, 1828, where he was reared. In 1845, he emigrated to Texas and selected Collin county as his home. He was joined in marriage to Miss, Harriet Kincaid in the year 1855. During the dark days of reconstruction from the year 1866 he served for four years as faithful sheriff for the people of Collin county. He was also a Mexican war Vete an—one of the few who had survived that struggle of the long ago.

He leaves a large family to honor his memory.

It was the writer's good fortune to know the deceased from our earliest days in Collin county to the present time and to be honored with his unswerving friendship. He was an honest unasuming and loyal citizen God makes no nobler.

He was a despiser of hypocricy either in the state or the individual. He humbly expressed his own opinions and sough not to curtail those of his fellow man.

To him, honesty and industry were the highest acquisitions of man or woman. In his departure he leaves behind a host of friends to revere and relatives to love his memory.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portions of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever, nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucus surfaces.

We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure, Send for circular, free.

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Mrs. M. E. Marshall.

Nice line Ladies Kid Gloves with lace hook and large buttons, just received at Mississippi Store.

"Perhaps you would not think so but a very large proportion of diseases in New York comes from carelessness about catching cold." says Dr. Cyrus Edson. "It is such a simple thing and so common that very few people, unless it is a case of pneumonia, pay any attention to a cold. There are a great many cases of catarrh and consumption which have their origin in this neglect of the simplest precaution of every day life. The most sensible advice is when you have one get rid of it as quick as possible, By all means do not neglect it." Dr. Edson does not tell you how to cure a cold but we will. Take Chamberlains Cough Remedy. It will relieve the lungs, aid expectoration, open the secretions and soon effect a permanent cure 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by H. C. Herndon.

Big stock Ladies and Misses Kid Gloves received this week at Mississippi Store.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder Forty Years the Standard.

Roll of Honor.

Those who have settled their sub-cription to THE DEMOCRAT since our last report:

Robert Gilbert,
John Lake,
A W. McDonald,
C. B. Moore,
A. M. Taylor,
W. A. Holder,
H. D. Winniford,
D. C. Flippen,
D. F. Forshee,
Mrs. L. J. Fortner,
W. T. Mitchell,
C. H. Weisel,
Lindsay McPhail,
C. L. Snyder,
W. D. Davis,
T. E. Furr,
W. C. Benson,
W. F. Marriott,
M. W. Younger.

Mrs. A Lee of Roland visited Mrs. M E. Est t. is week.

Dr. Taylor makes a specialty of

W. L. DOUGLAS $3 SHOE IS THE BEST. FIT FOR A KING.



$5. CORDOVAN, FRENCH & CHANNELLED CALF.
$4 $3.50 FINE CALF & KANGAROO.
$3.50 POLICE, 3 SOLES.
$2.50 $2. WORKINGMEN'S, EXTRA FINE.
$2. $1.75 BOYS' SCHOOL SHOES.
LADIES.
$3 $2.50 $2. $1.75 BEST DONGOLA.
SEND FOR CATALOGUE.
W. L. DOUGLAS, BROCKTON, MASS.

Over One Million People wear the
W. L. Douglas $3 & $4 Shoes
All our shoes are equally satisfactory
They give the best value for the money.
They equal custom shoes in style and fit.
Their wearing qualities are unsurpassed.
The prices are uniform,—stamped on sole.
From $1 to $3 saved over other makes.
If your dealer cannot supply you we can. Sold by

W. P. SUTTLE.

The latest designs in Dress Goods, Trimmings, etc., at M. Aron & Co's.

We received several communications in support of local option which space forbids our publishing. Among these was an excellent defense of prohibition of the liquor traffic by "Uncle Mike," Lucas, and one from "A True Reformer," of McKinney

It is a positive pleasure to show our elegant tailor made Suit—See them.

M. Aron & Co.

THE MORPHINE HABIT.

Persons bound by this cruel tyrant may be perfectly cured, without any suffering.

For particulars and information call on or address Dr. M. B. Cleveland, Foote House, McKinney, for a few days, or therafter, Dr. F. P. Dickey, Dallas, Texas Special terms to poor people. Confidence respected.

Fancy Work in all designs at M. Aron & Co's.

F. P. Shrader has moved the B. F. Avery stock of farm implements to the McDonald building on the south side of square. See his ad. in this issue of The Democrat, and when needing anything in his line give him a call. Fount will treat you right.

A new and full line of Ladies and Misses hosiery at M. Aron & Co's.

The Madame of the house of prostitution that has been running in McKinney in defiance of law and public opinion, was fined $200 in the county court Tuesday. She is now in jail.

Our stock of Ladies, Misses and children's Shoes is more complete than ever before. M. Aron & Co.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds and releases filed with the county clerk since Feb. 14, 1895.

Compiled by A. C. Wilmeth.

Cravens Joseph and wife to Honaker Bros. & Aston 55 acres, $1500.

Honaker Bros. & Aston to Joseph Cravens, release.

Geo. A. Wilson to S H Housema et al, trustees, cemetery at Princeton 3 acres, $60.

Bush E W to M Aaron 300 acres, $2500.

English J H & L C to Thomas Kendall and wife, release.

Jouett J B R to Henry Morgan, release, $400.

Kendall Thomas and wife to W R W King 43 acres, $1306.

Thompson G C and wife to T B Wilson ½ acre, $50.

The Security Mortgage Trust Co. and Colonial Trust Co. to C C Dodson note $705.

Boyd W L to F G Mewis, release.

Dumas T M to W G Turner 89 acres, correction.

Holman Stokely to James W Holman 20 acres, $100.

Holman James W to N J Darden, trustee. 20 acres, $70.

Lewis John H to F G Lewis compromise line.

McKinney Investment Co. to Alonzo Ray release, $328.

Scott L A and wife to W P Abernathy 105 acres, $1192.

Sandidge J H and wife to J S Cameron 24¼ acres, $480.

Thompson F M and wife to T C Draper, lot in T. Ad. to McKinney, $200

White J L (cashier) to F G Lewis, release.

Back J D and wife to S A Saddler 20 acres, 20 acres.

Groom W F and wife to J S Hendrix, lot in Farmersville, $75.

Grizzell G W and wife to J S Hendrix 95 acres, $2400.

Dileman J H and wife to W B Metcalf, $275.

Kelly John W and wife to J D Back 20 acres, $400.

Kerr A J and wife to L F Kerr 180 acres Love and kindness.

Luster David to T T Emerson, trustee, 160 acres, $800.

McKinney E N A and wife to P L Patterson 33 acres exchange.

S A Sandler to J D Back 20 acres, 20 acres.

Shockley J J and wife to J L Moulden trustee, 61 acres, $300.

Watkins J B to J P Hawser 150 acres, release.

Houses rented and looked after. Taxes paid. Terms reasonable. Call and see me. A. C. Wilmeth,
West of Foote House.

Elegant Animal Rugs at M. Aron & Co's.

Don't fail to call on T. J. Melton for Groceries.

Our Spring stock of Clothing by far surpasses any stock shown in the city.

M. Aron & Co.

Rev. J. L. Morris spoke at Woodlawn Tuesday night in favor of local option,

Nice Pickles and Canned Goods at T. T. Melton's.

Our Furnishing Goods department is unsurpassed. M. Aron & Co,

Our buyer is in New York buying our goods from headquarters in large quantities for our house here and at Bonham, Tex., and the bargains we have will surely interest every one. Respectfully,

Perry, Oldham & Co.

A beautiful line of Ladies, Misses and Children's Slippers in all colors and styles. Come and see them.

NEW! NEW! NEW!

New Dress Goods. New Gingham Checks.

New Dress Ginghams, New Ducks,

And English Walking Cloth, New Prints, New White Goods, New Embroideries. New Laces, New Hats, New Clothing, New Shoes.

—AT THE—

Mississippi Store.

Big lot of Bleached Domestics just received and our Domestics at 5 cents, 6 3-4 cents, 7 cents and 8 1-3 cents are by far the Best Values in McKinney.

If You Are

Looking For BARGAINS.

COME DIRECT TO THE

Mississippi Store.

Another big lot of those extra good quality Apron Check Ginghams just received and selling at 5c per yard. Special bargains in short lengths in Embroideries.

Our Goods are Regular Trade Winners.

Our Prices are SO LOW, Come to see us, we will treat you right.

RESPECTFULLY.

Perry, Oldham & Co.

Props. Mississippi Store.

Additional Locals

E. F. England spent Sunday with his family at Lucas.

Dr. Holmes Baldridge of Wylie spent Sunday in Mckinney.

Henry Willis is the proud father of a new boy at his house.

E. W. Kirkpatrick received a fine young antelope yesterday. Shipped to him by G. C. Allison of Midland Texas.

W. H. Bush, of Grecnville, was in McKinney Monday.

J. T. Melton, of Allen, was here Tuesday.

The Epworth League held its regular monthly meeting at the Methodist church Monday night.

Rev. J. H. Wofford has been indisposed with la grippe the pass few days, but is now about recovered, we are glad to state.

Mr. D L. Countryman, a courteous "knight of the grip" representing the Studebaker Co., of Dallas was a pleasant caller at our office. He lives in Oak Cliff.

J. B. Carson, secretay of Altoga alliance, called at this office Friday for a World Almanac. He reports interest in alliance work in his community on the increase.

Miss Clarke Reedy, who was in the millinery department at Wylie & Baldwin's last year, has returned from her home in Bonham, to take charge of the millinery department of the Racket store.

The dress-making department of Wylie Bros. store under ths experienced management of Mrs. A. L. Hughes, is neatly and commodiously arranged and adds much to the attractiveness of the establishment.

Mrs. H. H. Moore died Sunday morning at lhe resfdence of her brother-in-law, Dick Emerson, near Allen. Funeal services whre conducted in M. E. church in Allen at 11 a. m. Monday and burial in Bowman's cemetery at 2 p. m. the same day. The deceased was the mother of Jack Peters, who was for several years in the McKinney post office and is now in the postal service at Houston, Texas.

Congress has appropriated $500,000, to run a cab e to Honolulu. All our democratic editors seem to take it quietly. We haven't heard any howl about Government ownership of the cable tending towards paternalism and ruining the Government. Oh? no it was all right and proper. Yet how much better for the Goverment to own the telegraph companies connecting its capital with the various States and Territories, than to go out into the ocean to connect with a country with which we have little or no interest. But that would be paternalism you know, and that would never do—Talmage.

Carpets, Matting and Rugs in great variety at M. Aron & Co's.

The Alliance mill in McKinney is preparing to double its steam power and add an electric light system for the city and ample electical power for run-

To Struggling Young Men.

Take care of yourself. Nobody else will take care of you. Your help will not come up two, or three, or four flights of stairs; your help will come through the roof, down from heaven, from that God who, in the six thousand years of the worlds history, never betrayed a young man who tried to be good and a Christian. Let me say in regard to your adverse worldly circumstances that you are on a level now with those who are finally to succeed Mark my words, and think of it thirty years from now. You will find that those who thirty years from now, are the millionaires of the country, who are the orators of the country, who are the poets of the country, who are the strong merchants of the country, who are the great philanthropists of the country—mightiest in Church and State—are now on a level with you, not an inch above, and with you in straitened circumstances now. Herschel earned his living by playing a violin at parties, and in the intervals of his playing he would go out and look up at the midnight heavens, the field of his immortal conquests. George Stevenson rose from being the foreman of a colliery to be the most renowned of the worlds engineers.

No outfit, no capital to start with? Young man go down to the library and get some books and read of what wonderful mechanism God gave you in your hand, in your foot, and in your eye, in your ear; and then ask some doctor to take you into the dissection room, illustrate to you what you have read about, and never again commit the blasphemy of saying you have no capital to start with. Equipped? Why the poorest young man is equipped as only the God of the whole universe could afford to equip him.—Talmage.

On to Balls City.

Don't forget B. F. Johnson's for groceries.

Don't fail to see the Sterling organ,

Special attention given to compounding prescriptions at C. C. Provine & Co

Farmers and Stockmen! Get your horse and jack bills printed at The Democrat office. Leave your orders at once.

See the Chicago Cottage Organ.

The Nickel Store is the place to get the worth of your half dime.

M. B. Rexrode, dealer in pianos and organs, one door south Collin County Bank.

I am making a special effort to secure your trade and am buying the goods you want. See me before you buy.

W. W. McDowell.

NOTICE—Free to all our readers. A handsome briar pipe. See adv't of Duke's Mixture.

Albums, pocket books jewelry, vases, etc, etc can be purchased at the Nickel Store for a very little amount of Money.

See the Mathushek.

Hear me! I want your patronage, B. F. Johnson.

Call at the Nickle Store and inspect their magnificent display of goods.

Great reduction in well bound family bibles at C. C. Provine & Co's., successors to J. B. Dodson & Co.

Meals and lunches at all hours at the Farmers restaurant.

Farmers, consult your interest; price B. F. Johnson's groceries before purchasing else-where.

"Don't Tobacco Spit or Smoke Your Life Away."

The truthful, startling title of a book about No-to-bac the only harmless, guaranteed tobacco habit cure. If you want to quit and can't, use "No-to-bac." Braces up nicotinized nerves, eliminates nicotine poisons, makes weak men gain strength, weight and vigor. Positive cure or money refunded. Book At druggists or mail'd free. Address The Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago, 45 Randolph st.; New York, 10 Spruce Street.

W. T. Scott, one of the leading merchants of Pilot Point says: "My wife has been in extreme bad health for over three years, her weight was 115 pounds when she began taking Dr. W. J. Thurmond's Blood Syrup. She took only four bottles and now weighs 147 pounds and her health is entirely restored. She had tried many different remedies as well as several physicians without relief. I Recommend it to all. Sold by R. E. Bristol and J. B. Dodson.

The best Ribbon cane syrup put up at W. W. McDowell's.

English Spavin Liniment removes all Hard, Soft or Calloused Lumps and Blemishes from horses, Blood Spavins, Curbs, Splints, Sweeney, Ring Bone, Spraius, Stiffes, all Swollen Throats, Coughs, etc. Save $50 by use of one bottle. Warranted the most wonderful Blemish Cure ever known. Sold by ERWIN & FANT, McKinney, Texas

Come to stay. B. F. Johnson's new grocery, just west of H. C. Herndon's.

Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment.

Is a certain cure for Chronic Sore Eyes, Granulated Eye Lids, Sore Nipples, Piles, Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum and Scald Head, 25 cents per box. For sale by druggists.

TO HORSE OWNERS.

For putting a horse in a fine healthy condition try Dr. Cady's Condition Powders. They tone up the system, aid digestion, cure loss of appetite, relieve constipation, correct kidney disorders and destroy worms, giving new life to an old or over worked horse. 25 cents per package. For sale by druggists.

R. E. Bristol Druggist.

Blanke & Bro's. candies always in stock. The best made.

W. W. McDowell.

Fresh fish and oysters on hand at all times at The Farmers Restaurant.

My entire stock of groceries is fresh and new. B. F. Johnson.

Fresh canned goods at B. F. Johnsons just west of H. C. Herndons.

Heinz, Dodson & Hill pickles, Chow Chow, Table sauce, Dressings, Ketchups and Pepper Sauce at W. W. McDowell's.

All you can eat at the Farmers Restaurant for 20 cents.

High grade groceries at B. F. Johnsons.

Go to C. C. Provine & Co. successors to J. B. Dodson & Co., for pure drugs

Box cut loaf and granulated sugars, Hams and Breakfast bacon, best brands at W. W. McDowell's.

Go to the Farmers restaurant for hot meals lunches ect.

Cal W. Davis the butcher will pay the highest prices for hides. Call and see him.

I have a fresh shipment of crackers and cracker meal. W. W. McDowell.

Bring me your produce farmers! B. F. Johnson.

An elegant line of Wash Goods at M. Aron & Co's.

WANTED—To borrow $600, at reasonable interest, one or more years Gilt edge security. Call at this office.

Our Mr. Mabry is now in New York buying our Spring stock and we are going to have GOODS at the right PRICES—See us for Bargains.

Perry Oldham & Co.

T. J. Melton for Cane and Millett Seed.

An elegant and full line of Laces and Embroideries at M. Aron & Co's.

Handsomest line White Goods and Embroideries in McKinney at Mississippi Store.

Rainfall for February at Ad Valorem, 6 miles north of of McKinney, as reported by C. B. Moore:

	Inches
13	⅜
28	⅜
Total	¾

A severe rheumatism pain in the left shoulder had troubled Mr. J. H. Loper, a well known druggist of Des Moines, Iowa, for over six months. At times the pain was so severe that he could not lift anything. With all he could do he could not get rid of it until he applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm. "I only made three applications of it," he says, "And have a nce b en free from all pain." He now recommends it to

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Cotton and Corn Planters,

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With their Large and Complete Line of Furniture Such as Folding Beds, Bedroom & Parlor Suites, Chairs, Side Boards, Dining Tables, Don't Forget us on

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When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
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Over 5000 Rolls of latest designs and elegant combination patterns fresh from factory just received at the

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A. D. Moseley, M. D., Specialist, late Surgeon of the Searcy Medical and Surgical Institute, treats all diseases of the eye, ear, nose, throat and chest. Glasses fitted and furnished. Located at McKinney, Tex.

Sole Agency.

For the well known I. W. Harper, Chases Barley Malt, Meads Canada Rye for medicinal uses. There is none better. Try us when in need of pure Liquors and Brandies City Drug Store.

$100 Reward for any case of Constipation, indigestion, rheumatism or any blood disease that W. J. Thurmond's Blood Syrup will not cure. Sold by R E. Bristol and J. B. Dodson.

I am handling the celebrated Chase & Sandborn Coffee. If you want something good in that line see me.

W. W. McDowell.

Polite clerks, low prices and prompt delivery at B. F Johnson's.

J. C. N. SMITH,
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All kinds of Dental work done and guaranteed first class,

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Teeth extracted without pain.

Call at W. W. McDowell's for Canned and Dried Fruits, his stock is carefully selected.

Look for the sign, hJH. on Young.

He has the best plow shoes in the world for $1

A flannel lined duck coat for $1.

Laundried colored shirts for $1.

Best line of $1.50 dress goods in the the market.

Any kind of a hat you want from a 25ct hat to a $6 one.

The best suit of clothes you ever saw for $5.

$4 and $5 overcoats for $3

Woolen underwear cheap as cotton goods.

Can give you prices that will win your trade. If you try him once you will call again.

John H. Young, North side public

World's Almanac of 1895 at this office. 25cts per copy,

Go to C. C. Provine & Co's on the north side when wanting drugs, toilet soaps, combs, brushes; school books, stationery, bibles &c.

Buy you a lot in Balls City while you can get choice, It is the coming place in the Gulf Coast country. Write to E. H. Porter at Galveston Texas.

The McKinney laundry does a strictly high grade work, guarantees satisfaction, makes a specialty of collars and cuffs.

Ask for the Miller organ.

'Tis the best that's imitated. Meads Genuine Canada Rye is the original and only genuine, All others are imitations. Get the best and only genuine; very old, pure and fine at

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One bottle of Dr. W. J. Thurmond's Catarrh Cure will cure 90 cases out of a 100 of the most aggravated form of Catarrh and colds in the head. Sold by R. E. Bristol and J. B. Dodson.

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Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New Great South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by ERWIN & FANT, McKinney, Texas.

Smith Bros.

Keep on hand fresh drugs patent medicines of all kinds. Also toilet articles of any description; in fact, everything in the drug line, Call and see them. East side of the square.

Balls City.

It seems that the gulf coast is to be the most desirable place for settlers in the great South-West. The city referred to above is attracting much attention. Secretary E. H. Porter, of Galvestion, is being overwhelmed with correspondence making enquiry about Balls City and the fertile fruit and vegetable land surrounding it.

Stock is being fast taken up in the Commercial Travelers City Company and the enterprise is moving at a rapid gait. A fine hotel and many beautiful cattages are in course of construction. Farmers are turning their attention to the surrounding country. It is a fact that the climate is delightful and the conditions most favorable for health.

Don't Suffer with That Horrible

Catarrh when one bottle will cure you None genuine without photograph and signature of Dr. Thurmond on each bottle

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Castoria.

"Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me." H. A. ARCHER, M. D., 111 So. Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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Castoria cures Colic, Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhœa, Eructation, Kills Worms, gives sleep, and promotes d. gestion, Without injurious medication.

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COUNTY ALLIANCE.

President, M. N. Stroup, Verona, Texas.
Secretary, Miss Sallie Stroup, Verona Texas.
Snow Hill, Apr. 17, 1895.

SUB-ALLIANCES.

Bethany Alliance meets First and Third Saturday nights in each month. President, S M. Hart. Secretary, Mrs. E C Forbes.

Josephine meets Saturday night before 2nd and 4th Sunday in each month. B. F. Ivy, Pres. Josephine, Tex. C. C. CARLISLE. Josephine, Tex.

Nevada Alliance meets Saturday night before the First and Third Sundays in each month. J. W. YOUNGER, Pres. J. L. PUCKETT, Sec. Nevada, Tex.

Altoga Alliance meets 1st and 3rd Thurday nights in each month. A. F. Moore, Pres., Altoga, Tex. J.A. Carson, Sec. " "

Roseland Alliance meets each 2nd and 4th Saturday at 2 o'clock p. m. S. L. BRADSHAW, President. W. F. PRICE, Secretary Anna. Tex.

Rowlett Alliance.—Time of meeting Saturday night before the 2nd and 4th Sundays. R. T. QUISENBERY, Pres McKinney, Tex. W. T. Hale, Sec'y. McKinney, Tex

New Hope Alliance meets 2nd and 4th Fridays 4:30 p. m. J. B. Jett, Pres. McKinney, Tex. R. A. Bailey, Sec'y. McKinney, Tex.

Verona Alliance meets 2nd and 4th Thursday nights in each month. A. C. STROUP, Pres. Verona, Tex Walter Carter, Sec'y. " "

Copeville Alliance, No 855, meets on 1st and 3rd Saturday nights at 7 p. m. W. S. Cox, Pres., Copeville, Tex. W. T. Thompson, Sec., " "

Stinson School House Alliance, No. 859, meets 1st and 3rd Saturday nights in each month at 7 p. m. T J Raney, Pres. W T Dameron, Sec. Parker, Tex.

St. Paul Alliance, No. 630, meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday nights in, each mon , at 7 p. m. J. W. Morris, Pres. W. T. Reeves, Sec'y. St. Paul, Tex.

Cedar Alliance meets Friday night before full moon in each month and two weeks thereafter. J. L. Mays, Pres. J. R. Self, Sec'y, Merrit, Texas.

Maxwell Alliance meets Saturday nights before 2nd and 4th Sunday in each month. President, W. F. Redell. Sec'y. R. L. Boggess.

Willow Springs Alliance meet the 1st and 3rd Saturday at 2 o'clock p. m. in each month. R. W Hickey, Pres. ——— Sec'y. Postoffice, Lucas, Tex.

Sister Grove Alliance meets at the Illinois School House on the 2nd and 4th Thursday nights in each month. A. R. Recer, Pres. W. H. Slater, Sec'y,

Midway Alliance meets every 1st and 3rd Friday nights in each month. J P Miller, Pres., Verona, J A Spatga, Sec'y. Farmersville.

McKinney Alliance No. 3949 meet the 1st and 3rd Tuesday nights in each month. G. M. D. Williams, Pres. J. H. Painter, Sec'y. McKinney, Tex

Bishop Alliance meets every 1st and 3rd Saturdays at 2 o'clock p. m. W. B. Harden, Pres., McKinney, Tex. G. B. Kindell, Sec'y., McKinney, Tex.

Each Secretary of Sub-Alliances should send in names of officers and time of meeting and have them recorded. Ed.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN.

Services every Sabbath at 11 o'clock a. m. and at 8 p. m. Rev. J H Wofford, pastor. Sabbath school every Sabbath at 9:30 a. m. J H. Sneed, superintendent. Prayer meeting wednesday night.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIETY

Meets at 6:15 p m every Sunday, Titus Keene, Pres.,

PRESBYTERIAN.

Services every Sabbath at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Rev. G. A. Russell pastor. Sabbath school every Sabbath at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night.

Children's missionary society or Graybills meet at the church at 3 p. m. first Sunda in each month.

METHODIST.

Services every Sabbath at 11 o'clock a. m and 7:15 p. m., Rev. Morris pastor. Sabbath school every Sabbath at 9:45 a. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7 15

Epworth League meets as follows: Devotional department at 6:15 every Sunday evening. Literary department 2d and 4th Friday nights in each month Business meeting 1st Monday night in each month Officers: Wallace Hughston, Pres., Richard Allen, 1st V-Pres, Will Robinson, 2d V Pres, Miss L. M. Sligh 3d V-Pres.

CHRISTIAN.

Preaching every Sabbath morning at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Elder Crutcher pastor. Sunday school every Sabbath to 9:30 a. m. P. Harris, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30.

BAPTIST.

Preaching every Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m and 7:45 p.m., Rev. J. M. Robertson, pastor. Sunday school sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock T. C. Perry, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 7 15. Young People's Union meets every Sunday, 3 p m. Joe Wilcox, president

Masonic Directory.

St. John's Lodge No. 51, A. F. & A. M. meets the 4th saturday night in each month. E. H BOWLBY, W. M. R. F. DOWELL, Secy.

Hagga Chapter No 53, R. A. M. meets the 4th Monday night in each month C. H. WYSONG, H. P. W. M. BAGLEY, Secy.

McKinney Order Eastern Star Chapter No. 61 meets the 2nd Tuesday night in each month at Masonic hall MRS. M. E. WILEY, Worthy Matron. W. M. BAGLEY, Secy

Defiance Lodge, No 28, K. of P. meets every Tuesday evening at Castle Hall East Va. St., west of postoffice

LADIES MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Meets the second Sunday in each month at 3 p m Mrs. Wofford, Pres.

KNIGHTS AND LADIES OF HONOR.

Regular meeting 2nd and 4th Monday nights Officers:

J R Parker,	Protector.
Mrs Jennie Walton,	Vice-Protector.
J C Moore,	Treas.
J L Todd,	Secy.

County Officials.

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District Clerk	W. T. Cox.
J. L. Moulden,	Sheriff.
A W Knighton,	Tax Collector.
A G. Chandler,	Tax Assessor.
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Supt. of Schools	W. W. Shepherd.
W M Shirley	County Surveyor.

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DISTRICT COURT: Hon. J. E. Dillard Judge.

Court convenes 1st Mondays in January and June of each year.

COUNTY COURT: M. G. Abernathy, Judge.

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Editor Democrat:

The joint discussion between the Cow Boy Preacher and Eld. Martin at Red Oak school house passed off very nicely. The Cow Boy Preacher then conducted a protracted meeting, which resulted in about 50 conversions—a gracious revival among the Christians. Eleven additions to the Free Will Baptist church, seven additions to the M. E. church and six to the Missionary Baptist church. The order was very good and everybody in good working order, religiously. Sabbath school and prayer meeting are well attended. I will preach five sermons at the above school house, beginning Friday night before the third Sunday in April. All are invited to come and take an active part. Praise the Lord for his blessings which he so abundantly bestowed upon us.

THE COW BOY PREACHER.

Carried His Left Ear.

Galveston, Tex., March 3.—William King, or William Henderson, he gives both names, walked into the Sealy hospital this morning with a badly-pummeled countenance. In his hand he tenderly carried his left ear. He was too dazed to tell how it happened to be so far from the spot nature had intended it other than he had had a fight in a saloon. The ear was placed in alcohol. The place from which it had been severed was done up in bandages.

The Rock Island.

On board the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway Train No. 1, En Route from Kansas City to Fort Worth. —Feb. 23, 1895.

The Texas Reform Press Association was called to order by President Dornblazer and the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved (1), That the kindest regards and most earnest thanks of this Association are due and are hereby tendered to the management of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway for their superior accommodation and polite and courteous attention while on our trip to Kansas City and return.

Resolved (2), That it is the sense of this meeting that much of the above efficiency is due to the able and careful management and good business methods of its General Passenger Agent, Mr. J. C. McCabe and to the Assistant General Passenger Agent, Mr J. B Sloat, to whom we also tender our warmest thanks for services rendered.

Resolved (3), That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to each member of the Reform Press Association with request of publication in their respective papers, also requesting them to send one copy each of their respective papers, containing these resolutions, to Mr. J. C. McCabe, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway, Fort Worth, Texas.

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O. F. DORNBLAZER, President. C. M. CURETON, Sec. Protem

THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY WILL REDEEM ITS PROMISES

When the lion eats grass like an ox,
And the fish worm swallows the whale.
When the terrapins knit woolen socks,
And the hare is outrun by the snail.
When the serpent walks upright like men,
and doodlebugs travel like frogs.
When grasshoppers feed on the hen,
And feathers are found on hogs
When Thomas cats swim in the air,
And elephants roost upon trees.
When insects in summer are rare,
And snuff never makes people sneeze.
When fish creep over dry land,
And mules on velocipedes ride.
When foxes lay eggs in the sand,
And women in dress take no pride.
When Dutchmen no longer drink beer,
And girls get to preaching on time.
When billygoats butt from the rear,
And treason no longer is a crime.
When the hummin-bird brays like an ass,
And limberger smells like colongne
When plowshares are made out of grass,
And the hearts of Georgians are stone.
When Populists grow listless in theme,
And wool on the hydraulic ram,
The democrats their promises will redeem.

A SEVERE WINTER

The Cause of Suffering and an Increase of Diseases.

This winter has been the most severe for many years. North, South, East and West intense cold and blizzards have prevailed. This will surely cause a great increase of sickness and death. Chronic catarrh and consumption always begins by catching cold. Thousands have started on the road toward a lifetime of misery from chronic catarrh or a sure death from consumption. It is not too late yet to be saved and restored to a life of health and activity. Pe-ru-na will do it. It never fails to quickly cure chronic catarrh less than two years old. Of course Pe-ru-na cures thousands and thousands of cases of chronic catarrh that have run for many years, but in cases that are of more recent origin it cures, quickly, certainly and permanently. Every case of cold or cough that has resulted from the effects of our severe winter could now be cured in a short time by Pe-ru-na. Not a single one need fail.

All those taking Pe-ru-na who desire the advice of Dr. Hartman about their cases should write, giving age, sex, disease and time of sickness, and he will answer free. A few weeks treatment now will prevent years of suffering, and in many cases death. Address the Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio, for a free book on catarrh, colds, cough, la grippe and consumption.

For free book on cancer address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

Stands Squarely by the Populist Platform.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 24.—The new senators are coming to look over the scene of coming labors. Among them, Marion Butler, the populist from North Carolina, is a well advertised figure and draws a great deal of attention. Speaking to a correspondent, Senator-Elect Butler said:

In the senate I shall stand squarely by the populist platform and am unreservedly for free silver coinage, though that is only a single item in the scheme of general currency reform. As far as the tariff is concerned my idea is the best thing to do is to let it alone. The democrats and republicans alike have tinkered with it with disastrous results to the country, and perhaps it would be well to cease tinkering for awhile and give our business interests a rest."

A BOY WITH IDEAS.

Original Composition on the subject of Girls and Women.

A little boy in one of the grammar schools was asked to write an original composition in his own words and with his own ideas. The following gem is what he handed in to his teacher:

"A woman is a curus thing. If they was borned with big sleves O how they would kick. They like high hats cause they think when they are wearing them nobody can see ahead of them. Supposing their head is was made that way? And then they ain,t good for nothing but bellering. You always find them bawling about something. The first thing they do when they are borned is to holler and hollow, and when they get to be 5 or 6, when they want sumpin, they start to bawling like al possessed. My spelling ain.t grate, but I has my idees about what I know fer a fak. I got a sister and she is 16 and don,t do nothing but read love stories and poetry, and she plays the planer and bawls cause the herer don't marry the herein. I never see tee likes She was reading a story the other day where the feller popped, and what do you suppose the herein did when she saw that she had a chance to get married? Bawled. when my sister meets her finance, that,s what maw calls it, I suppose he,ll allers be bellering around the house and make us all tired. And there is maw, she dont do nothing but bawl when paw brings home any And girls eat more ice cream and bawl than adything else. I like a dog better than I do girls cause dogs dont bawl only when you kickes them. Paw says that a woman is nothing but figger covered with a lot of cloths. I've seen people at partys who didn't ware many clothes. The next composition I'll rite will be on some boys I know."

Indeed, but this boy knows a good deal for his age. If he keeps on he'll write philosophy when he gets to be an old man.

Election Frauds in Alabama.

Frank W. Lull, secretary of the executive committee of the people's party of Elmore Co., Ala, writes the New York Outlook the subjoined card:

An article in a late issue of your paper upon contests for seats in congress by populists and republicans from the south is upon the right line All that the populists of Alabama ask is a fair investigation of the late election. The six "white" counties in this district gave the populist candidate majorities ranging from 360 to 1,049. The three counties carried by the democrats have four times as many negro voters as white. The white counties gave the populist candidate a total majority of 3,680, and the three black belt counties gave the democrat 3,895

I refer to the "white" and "black" counties to show that, though the democrats claim that stuffing votes is justified in order to perpetuate "white supremacy," and abuse and ridicule the populist as the "negro party," they can carry only the counties in which they have control, and in which the negro vote is three or four times as great as the white.

The effect of these flagrant and open violations of law and right is being felt in the moral and spiritual atmosphere.

That the churches are afraid to attack this gigantic evil is becoming more apparent every day. Some few ministers who have dared to assert that "stealing ballots is as bad as stealing anything else," have been compelled to give up their churches, and the pulpit is silent while corruption and outrageous wrongs walk abroad unarrested, apparently unseen. The result is, faith in the church has reached a low ebb. Faith in God seems to be dying out all over the state. Those of us who are trying to follow in the footsteps of Christ find it hard to keep down the bitter feelings of an outraged free citizen.

Had to be Hanged Twice.

Atlanta, Ga, March 1,—Joe Dean, a coal-black negro who murdered A. B. Leigh, a well-to-do farmer of Campbell county, for his money and afterward confessed the crime, was hanged in Fairburn to day.

By order of the court the execution was to be private, but the crowd of 5000 excited people that had assembld tore down the high fence erected around the gallows and made it public. The wretched man had to be hanged twice. The first time the rope broke. Like a dead man he was taken back on the scaffold and again swung off. Meantime his hands had become untied and in his frantic contortions he disrobed himself. The drop fell at 12:15 and eleven minutes later he was dead.

Young Men Who Were Great.

Preston Ivy at the age of 20 was secretary of the Houston Typographical Union; and is now the youngest and handsomest editor in Texas.

Hamilton began his public career at 17: at 27 was one of the best known lawyers and statesman of his day; at 32 was secretary of the treasury.

Brougham, that strange and wonderful phenomenon entered high school at 7; graduated at the head of his class when 12; at 25 was a noted scientist; when 35 he became lord chancellor.

Pitt, the younger, was in parliament at 21; chancellor of the exchequer at 23; at 25 first lord of the treasurer: and for 17 years was the most illustrious and powerful uncrowned head

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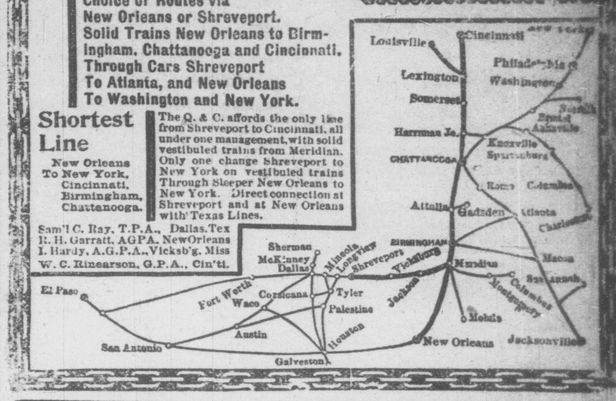
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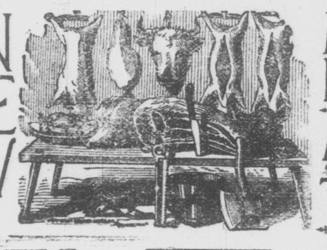
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[Dallas News.]

Love has its burdens, but likes to carry them.

Some people despise every person whom they do not love.

Some people seem to be drifting up the stream.

Some young men sit up with young ladies untill they make them sick.

The only way to bring some people over is to fetch them around.

Some people have not heard the truth in so long that they are getting so they will not stand it.

When one's appetite gets the best of him his creditors get the worst of him.

With some indolent drones it is anything on earth to avoid a change.

Striking difference between men—A fisticuff.

Ambition is an insatiable

A kind word is a good deed.

Satan does not need any cook book.

The man who uses the future appropriates something that does not belong to him.

Some people are eager to get favorites, while others prefer f ds.

In Gainesville, Texas lives a man by the name of Pratt. He is a helpless cripple with deformed feet, and cannot walk except by the aid of two crutches. At the polls in Gainesville, last November, J. W. Bailey, better known as Barlow Knife Bailey, assaulted Pratt and knocked him down. Bailey was fined for his bravery, But Barlow's bravery failed him when he was called upon to fight the banks. He was afraid to vote when the effort was being made in congress to fasten $50,000,000 bonded debt on us. It was safer to slap a cripple than to slap the corporations. The Barlow is no good in Washington as a fighter.—Dallas